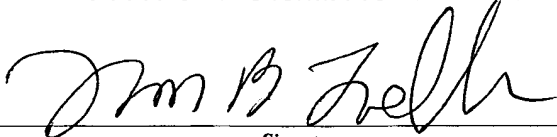
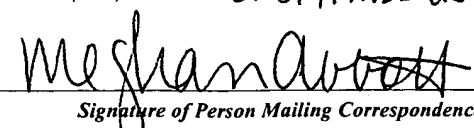


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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests amendment and reconsideration of the above-identified application. A Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time accompanies this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.